

## Editorial Comments.

Lexington got 1.07 inches of rain Wednesday.

The Methodist church has decided to locate at Atlanta. The University intended to rival Vanderbilt.

Senator Cauden has found it advisable to deny a report that he recently bet \$22,000 on one of his horses.

Mott Ayers, of Fulton, Ky., has moved to Laurel, Miss., and purchased a controlling interest in a daily paper there.

Mexican federals swooped down on a little garrison of constitutionalists over the line from Columbus, N. Mex., and killed all of them, 30 in number.

O. M. Shelby and O. U. Gilmour, two young men at Clarksville, who went in the river bathing, had their pants stolen by hoboes and were left almost as scantily clad as a fashionably dressed woman.

David Barrow, Jr., aged 19, whose home was in Lexington, Ky., was drowned in a canoeing accident on Lake Michigan Wednesday afternoon and Edward Leavenworth, who was with him, had a narrow escape.

Superintendent of Public Instruction Hamlett has broken all records by fixing the 1914 school per capita at \$4.50. This is 10 cents higher than ever before and an increase of 50 cents over 1913. Stick one more feather in Hamlett's cap.

The President has given to Carranza what amounts to an ultimatum. Should Carranza refuse to arrange for a peaceful settlement with Carbajal and insist on a forcible conquest of the capital, recognition will be denied his government and troops will remain at Vera Cruz until a government is recognized.

## L. W. HENDERSON

## CRITICALLY ILL

## At Jennie Stuart Hospital And Slight Hope For His Recovery.

Leslie W. Henderson, aged 24, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Henderson, was taken to the Jennie Stuart Hospital the first of the week very low with typhoid fever. His temperature ran up to 105.5 degrees, and an operation was had for punctured bowels. The operation was successful and lower temperature followed and the patient was reported as perceptibly better Thursday and hope of his recovery was revived. He had a bad night Thursday night and yesterday his condition was more unfavorable and the outcome is watched with great anxiety by the young man's many friends. He is one of the most exemplary young men in the city. He has for years been secretary of the Baptist Sunday School and cornetist in the church orchestra. At the prayer meeting Wednesday night, practically the whole services were a series of prayers for his recovery.

Mr. Henderson is a past chancellor of Evergreen Lodge Knights of Pythias, and a most popular member of that order.

He is shipping clerk in the lumber office of the Forbes Mfg. Co., and a most valued employee of that company.

## KILLED BY LIGHTNING

## Fell Dead While Removing Clothes From a Metal Line.

During the storm Thursday morning, at the home of his parents near Cate's Mill, Cozy Cary, a colored boy aged 15 years, a son of Bob Cary, was instantly killed by lightning. The boy went out to take in some clothes from a metal clothes line and when his hands touched the wire the current entered his body and he fell dead.

REMODELING  
BUSY STORE

Four Single Store Rooms To Be Changed Into Big Department Store.

## IMPROVEMENTS UNDER WAY.

Building Enlarged and Equipped With Every Modern Device For Convenience.

One of the most extensive building changes of the year has been undertaken by Frankel's Busy Store and is now under way. The whole of the building now occupied by them is to be remodeled and the whole building is to be of completely modern design and structure. Definite plans have not yet been finished, but the general outline which the changes will follow has been decided upon.

The front of the store is to be of brown hytex brick. There will also be 70 feet of glass show windows. The new front is to be entirely different from the old one and none of the old material will be used. Two large spacious doors will open into the street instead of the four separate store doors now used. The plan of the main floor is to be greatly changed, making the store rooms on the first floor more serviceable and able to carry a much larger stock. On the left will remain the large dry goods department and the main business office.

This main store room will be about 18 ft. by 140 ft. in size.

The right side of the main floor will be used for the shoe store. The gent's ready-to-wear department will be moved into a large basement, in which an extensive line of men's clothing will be kept.

On the second floor the ladies' ready-to-wear and millinery departments will have their rooms. Many changes will be made in these departments. There will be an elevator put in to carry shoppers from the different floors. This elevator is to be large and handsome and one of the latest models. On the second floor there will also be a ladies' rest room. The third floor will be used as a stock room.

Work on the excavations for the basement has already been started and the improvements on the other parts of the stone building will be taken up as the work progresses. The west wall of the store will be moved about 48 feet further back, thus adding much more room to the store room.

All the improvements will be the most modern ones and the whole building will be fitted up as an up-to-date Department store.

The contract has been let to the Forbes Manufacturing Co., and the work is expected to be entirely completed by about the fifteenth of October.

In order to clear the stock so that the work of the contractors may proceed without interruption, a big Rebuilding Sale will be started, beginning Thursday, July 23.

None of the departments will be closed during the process of rebuilding, but probably the stock will be shifted from the different store rooms in order that both the building and the business may continue.

## TORNADO

## Henderson, Ky., Scene of Bad Storm—Heavy Damage and Lights Out.

Henderson, Ky., July 17.—Two persons were killed, several others injured and scores of buildings damaged when a tornado struck this city late Thursday. It is estimated damage will reach \$150,000. The city light plant was partly destroyed and the city is in darkness.

The dead are Mrs. William Sewell and her 13-year-old nephew, Bonnie Prior. Both were crushed to death when a three-story brick building was blown over on their home.

WILL HIT IN  
HIGH PLACES

Stanley To Travel 65 Miles And Will Make Four Speeches.

## ONLY ONE DAY'S PROGRAM.

July 25 To Be A Very Busy Day With The Next Senator.

Congressman A. O. Stanley will make four speeches in Christian county on Saturday, July 25, in the interest of his race for the Democratic nomination for United States senator.

His appointments are announced as follows:

Pembroke, 9:30 a. m.  
Hopkinsville, 1:30 p. m.  
Lafayette, 4 p. m.  
Gracey, 8 p. m.

Mr. Stanley will have an opportunity to display some of the hustling qualities that are making him a winner in his race.

Alighting from the Dixie Flyer at 9:24 he will have six minutes to reach the crowd that will be waiting to hear him speak. After the speech he will be whisked ten miles in an automobile in time to speak again at 1:30. After another speech of an hour and a half, there will be a 20-mile run to Lafayette, another speech and back 25 miles via Julien to Gracey for a night speech and ten miles back to Hopkinsville. In ten hours he will have to cover 65 miles by motor car and speak something like five hours. That is hustling some.

EXTRA VOTE OFFER CLOSES  
TO-NIGHT AT 8 O'CLOCK

The offer of 2,000 extra votes with each car closes at 8 o'clock tonight. Contestants in the Kentucky automobile and Trip contest, should not fail to secure every available subscription by that hour, as the offer will not be repeated or extended and at no time during the remainder of the contest will a greater offer be made. See every one today and take full advantage of this offer.

## STANDING OF CONTESTANTS

## District One.

DISTRICT NO. 1—All of the city of Hopkinsville.

Mabel Boyd	66,200
Nora Higgins	57,600
Elizabeth Davis	57,300
Ellen McClendon	43,100
Mary Roper	31,700
Lily May Wortham	27,300
Nell Espie	21,000
Alberta Mitchell	21,100
Effie Clark	10,800
Ruth Hayden	10,200
Cinderella Armstrong	9,700
Elizabeth Fox	8,700
Eloise Bowles	7,900
Edith Morris	3,200
Ruby Nelson	3,100
Helen Carroll	2,800
Cornelia West	2,700
Iva Mitchell	2,200
Viva Locker	2,100

## District Two.

DISTRICT NO. 2—All of the territory outside of Hopkinsville East of the L. & N. Railroad North of Hopkinsville and East of the T. C. Railroad South of Hopkinsville.

Lorena Shelton	34,200
Mrs. Eugene Kelly	32,700
Robbie McKenzie	31,600
Hazel Hayes	23,900

## District Three.

DISTRICT NO. 3—All of the territory outside of the city of Hopkinsville, West of the L. & N. Railroad North of Hopkinsville, and West of the T. C. Railroad South of Hopkinsville.

Nell Dawson	40,600
Katie Osteen	34,600
Elizabeth Major	31,600
Mabel Maddux	27,400
Mrs. I. B. Cayce	25,300
Frances Burke	22,100
Lois Adams	15,200



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BRYAN FOR  
SUFFRAGETTS

Issues Formal Statement Defining Position of Suffrage Question.

## IS FOR STATE AMENDMENT.

Supports Nebraska's Proposed Law—Reasons for His Faith.

Washington, July 17.—Secretary Bryan, in a formal statement came out for woman suffrage. He declared he would ask no political right for himself he was not willing to grant his wife, and announced he would support the proposed state constitutional amendment extending the franchise to women to be voted on in Nebraska next November.

Woman, Mr. Bryan said, had proved herself equal to every responsibility imposed on her, and would not fail society in this emergency. Above all other arguments for giving her the ballot, he placed the right of the mother to a voice in the molding of the environment of her children.

## Universalist Church.

Services at the Universalist church Sunday 8 p. m. Subject—"The Divine Paternity." This will be the last preaching service until the first Sunday in September, as the pastor will be away on his vacation all through August. We hope to see all our friends present at this service and strangers all always welcome.

DROUTH IS  
NOW ENDED

Hopkinsville Gets 1.40 Inches Of Soaking Rains Just In Time.

## NOT YET GENERAL RAINS.

Intense Heat Has Given Way To Pleasant Summer Weather.

At last it may be announced that the drouth, so far as Hopkinsville is concerned, has been broken by good rains. While the different showers extended into parts of the county, there has been no general rain all over the county. The first shower fell Thursday morning at 7:40 and it rained steadily for 30 minutes. There were several sprinkles during the day and another good rain during Thursday night.

The rainfall brought further relief by lowering the intense heat that had prevailed for a week.

Observer W. F. Randle's report for the week is as follows:

	Maximum	Minimum
Sunday	106	72
Monday	102	75
Tuesday	99	70
Wednesday	90	74
Thursday	85	72

The rainfall Thursday was 1.40 inches. The two little showers last week were .35 of an inch, so we have had since July 1, 1.75 inches. Previous to this, the last showers were on June 9 and June 17.

Hopkinsville has fared better than some parts of the county. The June rains missed most of the southern part altogether. The rains Thursday did not extend far to the south. The western and northern parts of the county got good showers. There was a light shower in eastern Trigg and Pembroke was not altogether overlooked by the weather clerk.

The rains have come too late to increase the acreage of tobacco. About all the farmers can do will be to replant the small acreage planted by watering, as the stand is very bad.

The corn crops will be immensely benefited and pastures and gardens will be saved from drying up. The prospects are good for more rain and many sections of the state have shared in the showers.

LIGHTNING  
FATAL RESULT

## Man Killed, Little Girl Injured When Gun Is Discharged in Burning Home.

Whiteville, Tenn., July 17.—John Burford was killed Wednesday when lightning struck his home during a storm. His little girl may also die as the result of the catastrophe.

The lightning set the house on fire and the heat discharged a gun, the bullet entering the body of the little girl. Doctors have little hope for her recovery.

## IN FIVE TOWNS

## Agents Named To Handle Text Books For Christian County.

The county Board of Education, at its last meeting, officially appointed the following dealers to handle the recently adopted text books for Christian county:

Wilson & Towler, Gracey, Ky.  
Brasher & Croft, Crofton, Ky.  
Lafayette Drug Co., Lafayette, Ky.  
McCarley Hdw. Co., Pembroke, Ky.  
C. R. Clark & Co., Hopkinsville Ky.

## Victim of Typhoid.

William Thomas, the 7-year-old son of W. E. Penn, col., died last Tuesday of typhoid fever.

HUERTA  
STEPS DOWN

According to 'Program' And Seeks Safety In Flight.

## CARBAJAL HOLDS THE BAG.

First Practical Step Towards Settlement of The Mexican Trouble.

Mexico City, July 15.—Victoriano Huerta resigned from the provisional presidency of the Mexican republic tonight and his resignation was accepted by the senate and chamber of deputies by a vote of 121 to 17.

Francisco Carbajal then was appointed president and took the oath of office at the joint session of the deputies and senators.

Huerta's resignation was submitted through the department of foreign relations. It was read in the house and was greeted with cries of "Viva Huerta!" It then was referred to the joint committee of government. After a brief consideration the committee reported, accepting the resignation in the following terms:

"Article 1.—We accept the resignation presented by Gen. Victoriano Huerta as president of the Mexican United States.

"Article 2.—We call Licentiate Francisco Carbajal, minister of foreign relations, to assume the presidency."

A ballot was taken and the joint session approved the report.

President Carbajal proceeded to the national palace under an escort of presidential guards, and all along the way was greeted with tumultuous cheering.

Gen. Huerta and Gen. Blanquet left the capital tonight. They boarded a train on the Mexican railway a few miles beyond the city. It is thought they are going to Puerto Mexico.

## Carbajal Ready to Quit.

Washington, July 17.—Francisco Carbajal, successor to Gen. Huerta as provisional president of Mexico, Thursday advised the United States government informally that he intended to retire in favor of Gen. Carranza, the constitutionalist chief. Mr. Carbajal wishes only that a general amnesty be proclaimed and protection given to the property of those who opposed the constitutionalists.

This statement, together with the announcement from Monterey that Carranza was willing to enter into negotiations with Carbajal relative to the transfer of authority at Mexico City, was regarded here tonight as assuring the restoration of peace in Mexico.

The views of Mr. Carbajal were explained in detail to Secretary Bryan today by Jose Castellot, former member of the Mexican senate, who had received a personal telegram through the Mexican embassy. It was the first communication between the American government and the Carbajal administration. The message incidentally revealed that Generals Huerta and Blanquet, now en route to Puerto Mexico, are planning to go to Europe. The communication, addressed to Mr. Castellot, a personal friend of the new president, was dated last night and was as follows:

"I have just taken the oath of office as president of the republic. Generals Huerta and Blanquet departed tonight for Europe. I desire to make it known with emphasis that my only purpose is to facilitate a solution of the grave problems which weigh upon our country. I have not the slightest ambition for myself and merely wish to terminate the internal conflict of our country. Please give me your impressions of the situation in Washington. (Signed)

"FRANCISCO CARBAJAL." This message, Mr. Castellot explained, meant that Mr. Carbajal had taken office only as a means of bridging the gap from the Huerta regime to the constitutionalist regime.



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of Hopkins county, as a candidate  
for Congress from the Second district,  
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primary August, 1914.

SATURDAY JULY 18

Lassen Peak is still in eruption,  
but Huerta has quieted down.

Black rust reports from Minnesota  
and Dakota caused a slight rally in  
wheat at Chicago Wednesday, July  
wheat closing at 78 1/2 cents.

Mayor Buschmeyer has appointed  
G. W. Wetterer, secretary of the  
Louisville Trust Co., controller to  
succeed S. M. Wilhite, the defaulter.

W. P. Thorne, Jr., formerly of  
Eminence, has landed a comfortable  
berth as a California postmaster,  
where the salary attached is a  
reasonably good one.

The skeleton of a gigantic ox, es-  
timated to be 150,000 years old, has  
been unearthed near Los Angeles,  
Cal., by Frank S. Leggett, director  
of the County Museum from the  
Pleocene deposit of the famous tar  
pits of La Brea.

Only the bloodthirstiness of the  
Constitutionalists now stands be-  
tween Mexico and peace, Carbajal,  
the successor of Huerta, is a judge  
and not a soldier. He will seek to  
arrange for the peaceful transfer of  
the government to Carranza with  
certain guaranties of general am-  
nesty and the protection of property.

Two militant suffragettes Wed-  
nesday made a violent attack on the  
Rt. Hon. Thomas McKinnon Wood,  
secretary of the State for Scotland,  
as he was leaving his residence.  
The women were armed with heavy  
horsewhips with which they struck  
Mr. Wood several times across the  
shoulders. They were both arrested.

Secretary Bryan has outlined to  
the senate foreign relations com-  
mittee, the general plan of his new  
peace treaties, had announced he  
would submit seventeen, already  
signed for ratification next week.  
There will be twenty in all. One  
with Uruguay has been signed and  
three others Bryan expects to be  
signed Monday.

The Let-Stahlman controversy in  
Nashville has reached a white heat.  
Col. E. B. Stahlman in the Banner  
openly charges Senator Lea with  
grafting and with having accepted  
\$10,000 each from the judiciary  
committee and Republican campaign  
funds in the Tennessee deal. Wed-  
nesday Senator Lea denounced Col.  
Stahlman on the floor of the Senate,  
under a question of personal priv-  
ilege.

Rev. J. D. Gwaltney in resigning  
the pastorate of the Central Baptist  
church, at Winchester, gave out an  
interview in which he said, "This is  
the worst age in the history of the  
world." There is not much patience  
anywhere for the pessimist who  
wears nothing but blue goggles. We  
commend to Bro. Gwaltney the verse:  
"Two men looked through prison  
bars,

One saw mud, the other saw stars,  
In this alone the reason's found,  
One looked up and the other looked  
down."

God pity the man who is not satis-

## KITTY'S LUCKY DAY

By CLAUD GERVAISE.

Kitty Sanders kept the bellboy  
waiting a full four minutes while  
she deliberated over the hastily writ-  
ten note which he had brought her.  
Considering the heat of the stuffy  
little hotel bedroom, the invitation  
it contained was doubly alluring.

"Don't you want a breath of coun-  
try air?" it read. "I know where we  
can get lots of it and a good country  
dinner, too. Please come, won't you?  
Yours most hopefully, Jimmie Du-  
lin."

The bellboy was moving about un-  
easily. He had been standing at  
least five minutes now and it seemed  
to him that the pretty young girl  
with the very black hair and the very  
blue eyes was slow of decision. Sud-  
denly, however, she spoke.

"You can tell Mr. Dulin that I'll  
be down in the hotel office in a quar-  
ter of an hour," she said, and then  
she fairly shoved the small messen-  
ger out of the room for fear that  
she would change her mind.

For she couldn't help owning that  
what she was about to do was a  
rather unconventional thing, this go-  
ing for a jaunt into the country with  
a man to whom she had never been  
formally introduced. And the fact  
that she had been in vaudeville for  
some four years and had never be-  
fore dreamed of accepting an invita-  
tion from a traveling man she did  
not know did not make it any the  
easier.

She argued with herself all the  
time that she was arranging her  
hair and hat. It was different this  
time. Jimmie Dulin had been "mak-  
ing" the same towns with her for  
over six months now. Again and  
again she had seen him on the  
streets run across him in hotel of-  
fices. In fact, she had even picked  
him out in various audiences when  
the theater was sufficiently empty to  
allow of easy recognition of friends.

He was standing by the desk wait-  
ing for her and he held out his hand  
in cordial greeting.

"I'm awfully glad that you'd  
come," he said. "I thought at lunch-  
time you looked as though a taste of  
the country would agree with you  
mightily. But it took me some hours  
to get my nerve to the asking point."

Kitty laughed happily, and re-  
turned his confidence promptly.

"Same here, Mr. Dulin. It took  
me some minutes to set my nerves  
to the accepting point. But I was  
so dreadfully lonesome that my  
scruples just seemed to vanish away."

Jimmie Dulin nodded understand-  
ingly. "I know how you feel, and  
lonesomeness isn't any fun. The  
queer part of it is that you don't  
get over it with the years. How long  
have you been tramping it?" he  
asked.

"About four years. I went into  
the work because singing and dan-  
cing were the easiest things that I  
did, and I have stayed in it because  
they are the only things that I can  
make any money at. Of course, it's  
worse some times than others. Often  
I have friends playing on the same  
bill with me, or, again, there are nice  
people with whom I get acquainted.  
For the last four weeks, though, it's  
been just dreadful.

They talked on, one subject lead-  
ing naturally enough to another.  
Jimmie Dulin seemed in a most con-  
fidential frame of mind, and Kitty  
was an absorbed listener.

"You know I am not going to  
keep at this sort of wandering much  
longer. At the end of this year I'm  
through with it all, and it's the quiet  
business life in some small town for  
me."

"What are you going to do?"  
They had come to a small cottage  
now. It was all white and green and  
stood back from the walk.

"Why, I am going to build some  
such place as this and run a retail  
store in some such town as this." He  
stopped short. "This is where we  
are going to get that home-cooked  
country dinner I promised you. A  
distant relative of mine lives here  
and her home is always open to me  
and my friends whenever I am in  
this town."

The woman that answered the  
doorbell had such a merry pair of  
eyes and such an all-embracing smile  
of welcome that Kitty felt at home  
at once.

"You folks are a little early for  
that fried chicken you smell," she  
laughed. "But just make yourselves  
comfortable out on that side porch  
till the gravy gets mixed and the cof-

At dinner it was the aunt who was  
the mirth of the occasion. She was  
a woman long past fifty, but her  
laughter was as contagious as that  
of a girl's and the reminiscences she  
told of Jimmie's boyhood made  
Kitty feel as though she were already  
in old-time friend.

"It's awfully lucky that I don't  
have the chance to eat like this ev-  
ery day," said Kitty as she finished  
the last of her cherry pie and shook  
her head reluctantly over the impos-  
sibility of devouring the other piece  
till on the plate. "I would have to  
give up singing and dancing for a  
living."

Afterward Kitty insisted on help-  
ing with the dishes, and as Jimmie  
announced that he was going to be  
her side partner, the aunt was forced  
to retire to the porch.

"My, but you sure do look a pic-  
ture in that pink apron," Jimmie ex-  
claimed ardently. He was plainly  
too absorbed in Kitty to be of much  
practical help to her.

"Is it more becoming than my  
dancing dress?" she asked.

"A thousand times so! Why I  
could just—"

But what he could have done was  
never told. A crash of a huge plat-  
ter interrupted. Kitty had dropped  
the dish she had in her hands, and  
chicken and gravy and potatoes all  
fell on the immaculately scrubbed  
floor, a broken platter on top of  
them.

"Say—don't you worry over all  
that," Jimmie said for the hun-  
dredth time. The damage had been  
repaired to the best of their ability,  
and they were watching the sun go  
down over the wide stretch of hills  
at the side of the house.

"But I am going to send your  
aunt another platter. I have taken a  
piece with me and I am going to  
have one made if I cannot get a  
similar one."

"Now, don't be silly," protested  
Jimmie, vigorously.

"But I am."

"Now, listen to me," Jimmie made  
a desperate effort at quietness of  
manner.

"You see, it doesn't make as much  
difference as you think. This house  
is mine and not my aunt's, and ev-  
erything that's in it belongs to me."

"Your house?" Kitty's question  
was almost a gasp.

"Sure it's mine. So you have  
nothing at all to worry you, and I  
hardly think that it's up to you to  
renewish my establishment even if  
a trifling accident did happen when  
I had invited you to dinner."

"But I don't understand how it's  
all yours and furnished so beauti-  
fully."

"Do you think it is beautiful?"  
he asked her eagerly.

"Yes, of course it's very beautiful  
and lovely—but I just don't under-  
stand," she repeated.

His face grew serious.

"Well, you see," he said slowly. "I  
was to have been married a year ago  
this time. I had the house all ready  
and everything in apple-pie order.  
Then the very day before the wed-  
ding the girl came down with fever  
—over-exhaustion and strain—and  
she died in a few days. The house  
has never been used, and as it seemed  
too bad to have it stand idle I told  
my aunt to come here and use it till  
I wanted it again. Now, since I  
have seen—"

But he was interrupted a second  
time. His aunt had joined them on  
the porch.

"Now you are both of you to come  
back here tomorrow evening for din-  
ner at the same time," she said, in  
a tone that admitted of no disputing.  
"For I am going to be very hurt if  
Jimmie doesn't give me more of his  
time the rest of the week, and I  
know Miss Sanders will bring him  
here if he won't come of his own  
accord."

Jimmie turned to Kitty. "Will  
you come tomorrow?"

"Yes, I'd love to," she responded  
promptly.

"Tomorrow at five, then."

"We'll be here on the dot of the  
hour," laughed Jimmie happily, and  
Kitty nodded her assent as they ran  
down the broad cottage steps and  
started to take the road which led  
back to town.

"She's a dear girl," said the aunt  
to herself, as she stood watching the  
two disappear around the turn in  
the road a half-mile beyond. Her  
eyes had a smile of understanding in  
them. "Jimmie deserves to be happy.  
After all his disappointments, and I  
hope he gets her and brings her  
here right soon."

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Sunday School at 9:30.  
Preaching at 11 a. m.  
Christian Endeavor 6:15.  
Preaching at 7:15 p. m.

First Baptist Church—Rev. C. M. Thompson, Pastor. Services as usual.  
Sunday School—9:30 a. m.  
Morning Service—11:00 a. m.  
B. Y. P. U.—6:00 p. m.  
Evening Service—7:00 p. m.

Second Baptist Church—Rev. W. R. Goodman, Pastor.  
Sunday School—9:45 a. m.  
Preaching—11 a. m.  
Preaching—7:30 p. m.  
Prayer meeting every Wednesday night—7:15 p. m.

Methodist Episcopal Church—Rev. A. R. Kasey, Pastor.  
Sunday School—9:30 a. m.  
Morning Service—10:45 a. m.  
Epworth League—6:30 p. m.  
Evening Service—7:30 p. m.  
Prayer meeting at 7:30 p. m. every Wednesday.

Westminster Presbyterian Church—Rev. C. H. H. Branch, Pastor.  
Sunday School—9:30 a. m.  
Men's Bible Class—10:00 a. m.  
Morning Service—11:00 a. m.

First Presbyterian Church—Sunday School—9:30 a. m.  
Christian Endeavor—6:15 p. m.  
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### Snake Swallows Indian.

Rev. Thomas J. McCormick, assistant director of the New York diocesan branch of the Society for the Propagation of the Faith, has received a letter from Father Hood, a missionary in India. The letter describes how a dealer in molasses on his way home from Rangpur, went to sleep at night curled up in the road under his cart, and was swallowed whole by a hungry python.

The snake, which was killed later, measured twenty-nine feet in length.

Looses its Charm.  
It's difficult for a newly married man to generate much enthusiasm over his bride's beautiful hair after he has seen her pile it on the bureau for the night.

### Unusual Offer To Our Readers.

For a limited time, and subject to withdrawal after 30 days, the well known publishing house of the J. B. Lippincott Company, Philadelphia, founded in 1792, offers to the readers of this paper a 12 months' subscription to "Lippincott's Magazine" and a year's subscription to the Kentuckian, both for \$3.00. This is the price of a twelve months' subscription to "Lippincott's" alone. Additional to obtaining every issue of this paper for a year, our readers will receive in "Lippincott's," 12 great complete novels by popular authors, 105 short stories, crisp, entertaining, original 45 timely articles from the pens of masters, and each month some excellent poems with "the right sentiment," and "Walnuts and Wine," the most popular humor section in America. To obtain this extraordinary offer prompt action is necessary. Remit to J. B. Lippincott Company, Washington Square, Phila., Pa. Advertisement.

### She Was Smothering.

Rockford, Ala.—Mrs. M. C. Paschal, of this place, says: "I was taken with nervous prostration, and had headache, backache, pains in my right side, and smothering spells, I called in physicians to treat my case, but without relief. Finally, I tried Cardui, and it gave perfect satisfaction. I recommend it to every sick woman." Are you weak, tired, worn-out? Do you suffer from any of the pains peculiar to weak women? Cardui has a record of over fifty years in relieving such troubles, and will certainly benefit you. It prevents those frequent headaches, and keeps you up, out of bed, feeling happy. Try Cardui. Advertisement.

### HUG AND KISS.

**Ceremony that Allows Judges to Separate Jeweler From Wife and \$7,200 a Year Alimony.**

New York.—That a wedding solemnized with a kiss and a hug is sufficient to justify the award of \$7,200 a year alimony was shown in the grant of that sum this week by Mrs. Emma L. Hall. She obtained a separation in March from her husband, a wealthy diamond dealer.

Hall admitted he had lived with Mrs. Hall for 12 years, but never recognized her as his wife, and denied there had been any marriage ceremony.

Mrs. Hall testified at the trial that Hall placed his arm about her waist, kissed her and said: "This is sacred and binding a marriage ritual as any other."

Justice Greenbaum decided the ceremony was binding and awarded Mrs. Hall a separation.

The court ordered Hall to pay the alimony in monthly installments of \$600 and to furnish \$15,000 security to insure its payment.

Mrs. Hall testified at the trial that Hall wore diamonds on his suspenders, on his garters, in his shirt front and even had a large diamond in the button that held the neckpiece of his overcoat together.

Hall also had his pockets full of diamonds of all kinds, Mrs. Hall testified, and often exhibited handfuls of them to prospective buyers.

### Remarkable Feat.

Miss Nora Leahy, nineteen years old, and without previous experience in long distance swimming swam from the foot of Eighty-fourth street New York to Clason Point, eight miles, and through the swirling waters of Hell's Gate, in two hours.

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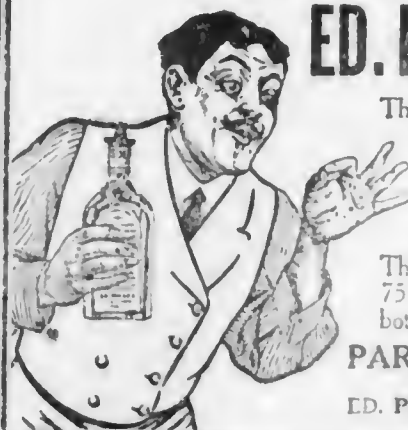


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Louisville, Ky., July 17.—According to authoritative estimates this year's tobacco crop in Kentucky will be from twenty to twenty-five per cent shorter than was at first expected. It is now quite certain the intended crop will never be set out, as the rains which have fallen in a good many of the tobacco districts in the last several days were in time to greatly benefit the weed that is already planted, but too late to make possible further planting. On the tobacco breaks trading is extremely dull, and it is generally admitted among local tobacco men that the trade is nearing a new record for slowness. Prices, however, seem to hold their own, despite this fact. The demand is about equal to the small business being done. Range of today's market was: New burley, \$3 to \$15; old burley, \$2 60 to \$10 75, and new dark from \$5 25 to \$11 25.

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The Men's Bible Class of the First Baptist church gave a Lawn Party last night at Bethel College. The young ladies of the Phila-thea class were also present as invited guests. Delicious refreshments were served.



# JULY CLEARANCE SALE!

Began Wednesday, July 15th, and Will Continue For 15 Days.

NEVER HAVE WE HAD A MORE SUCCESSFUL SALE. Never has this store entertained more pleased customers, because we have never before been able to offer such variety of selections at such remarkably reduced prices. The urgent command that this stock be converted into cash quickly, has led to price-slashing seldom equaled, without regard to cost or profits. We are determined to carry out our desires and hundreds of customers testify to the thoroughgoing honesty of our efforts.

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100 PAIRS Men's Fine Shoes, Value \$5.00..... **\$2.48**  
50 PAIRS Men's Fine shoes, Value \$6.00 and \$6.50..... **\$2.98**

### STORES BURNED

Believed That Kentucky Fire Was of Incendiary Origin.

Whitesburg, Ky., July 17.—The large general stores of Cohen & Stryk and W. Ward Bruke, near the city of Jenkins in this county, were destroyed by fire with loss of \$25,000 in goods and buildings. The damage was about one-fourth covered by insurance. The fire is said to have been of incendiary origin and efforts will be made to find the guilty parties. The stores will be rebuilt.

### "Beck Day."

Saturday has been set aside by the Nashville base ball management as "Beck Day." George Beck, the former Kitty star, will appear for the first time of the present season in a Volunteer uniform. Beck was bought by Nashville from Cleveland, recently.

Misses Viva and Lucy Locker are visiting relatives at Eddyville.

### GROOM SEVENTY-NINE

#### BRIDE BUT EIGHTEEN

Clarksville, Tenn., July 17.—Mr. Martin E. Hall and Miss Cora Vaughn were married today by Esquire J. M. Farrell. The groom is 79 years old and is the father of nineteen children. The bride is 18. They had eloped from Lyon county, she from her parents and he from his children.

#### Graduate of Bethel.

Miss Kittie Bogard, of Golden Pond, Ky., a graduate of Bethel Female College, will teach the school at Rock Castle, Trigg county, this fall. She is one of the brightest young ladies who has graduated from Bethel in recent years.

#### Radford-Butler.

Mr. W. L. Radford, a well known farmer of the Herndon neighborhood, was married in Clarksville Wednesday evening to Mrs. Edna R. Butler, of this city. Rev. Mr. Tyler, a Methodist minister, performed the ceremony.

### TOO LIGHT FOR ARMY

Uncle Sam Refuses to Enlist Kentucky Captain.

Evansville, Ind., July 15.—Benjamin L. Carroll, captain of the company of Kentucky national guard at Earlington, Ky., was today refused enlistment in the United States regular army at the local recruiting station because he was six pounds under the required weight.

### BASE BALL.

#### STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

Clubs.	W.	L.	Pct
Cairo	46	27	630
Owensboro	41	30	577
Paducah	39	34	534
Henderson	35	34	511

#### Thursday's Results.

Paducah 6, Owensboro 3.  
Cairo 3, Henderson 1.

#### Wednesday's Results.

Cairo 5, Owensboro 3.  
Henderson 4, Paducah 3.

### SUIT FILED TO STOP ELECTION

Wets Take Steps To Throw Prohibition Law Into The Courts.

The expected suit to test the constitutionality of the county unit law and stop the election called for Sept. 21, was filed yesterday in the Circuit Clerk's office.

Moses L. Ellb, Ferd S. Schmidt, Lee Ellis, Geo. H. Merritt, Jr., and A. D. Noe, Sr., are the plaintiffs and Jewell W. Smith, sheriff and same as an individual, is made defendant. Suit is to be brought in Jefferson Circuit Court and an injunction will be asked at 1:30 a. m., July 21. The plaintiffs are represented by Jas. Breathitt, Sr., Hunter Wood & Son, Pratt & Federal and Trumbo & Bell.

#### Purely Personal.

J. Edgar D. Belcher, of Greenwell Monday to assist the commonwealth in prosecuting "rum-running."

Mrs. H. E. Johnson, of A. L. Gae, who has been visiting relatives in the city for several weeks, returned home Thursday. She was accompanied by her grandmother, Mrs. S. A. Beasley.

Mrs. Harry Rives is visiting the family of Mr. Robt. L. Carter, near Montgomery.

Miss Clara Martin is visiting her sister, Mrs. Guy Hall, near Montgomery.

Miss Ruby E. Hman has returned from a visit to Winchester, Tenn.

Mrs. F. G. Petre and Miss Sadie Petre are at Red Boiling Springs.

At the Top and Bottom.  
Of all the people in Europe the French have the fewest children and the Irish the most.

### BARELY ESCAPE DROWNING.

Automobile Party Come Near Losing One Of Their Number.

A young man by the name of Kiuger, of Baton Rouge, La., and a member of an automobile party, came near losing his life by drowning in Cumberland river at Canton just after dark Monday evening. Mr. John B. Kiuger and three sons, of Baton Rouge, passed through Canton last Monday afternoon on the way home from a trip East. After crossing Cumberland river, they went in camp for the night. The boys went to the river and went in for a swim. One of the boys slipped into water over his head, and being unable to swim, began to sink. The father rushed in and saved him after a heroic struggle. The father said that his son was in the water for some time before he was rescued.

#### In Honor of Guest.

Miss Hattie Clark was the hostess of a much enjoyed lawn party Wednesday night in honor of her guest, Mrs. Pearl Belcher, of Almo, Ky. The lawn was beautifully decorated with Japanese lanterns and delicious ice refreshments were served. Among those present were: Misses Stella Meyers, Pearl Belcher, Adah Boyd, Fannie E. yd, Martie Boyd, Lela Higgen, Carrie Johnson, Gertrude McCord, Lena Thacker, Elizabeth McGee, Elizabeth Johnson, Mrs. S. E. Yancey; and Messrs. Robert Hill, Clarence Carlisle, Hal, Joe McCord, Tom Mayes, Lucian Farmer, Guy Mangren, Vego Barnes, W. H. Hammack, Geo. S. Beard, Lowe Johnson Jr., and L. T. Johnson.

#### Talks About the Home City.

"Teach the facts about your home city in the public schools," urges the bureau of municipal research, New York city.

### DRASTIC ORDER OF HEALTH BOARD

All "Dead Carcasses" Must Be Burned or Buried Three Feet Deep.

The County Board of Health has issued an imperative order requiring all persons disposing of dead animals to either burn the carcasses or bury them not less than three feet deep and lime the carcass before covering it up. The Board threatens to prosecute those disobeying the order under the health laws. This will, it is expected, break up the practice of hauling carcasses into some field or woods to decay and perhaps prove a source of danger to the entire community.

The County Board of Agriculture has issued an order requiring all persons disposing of dead animals to either burn the carcasses or bury them not less than three feet deep and lime the carcass before covering it up. The Board threatens to prosecute those disobeying the order under the health laws. This will, it is expected, break up the practice of hauling carcasses into some field or woods to decay and perhaps prove a source of danger to the entire community.

### Hopkinsville Tobacco Market.

#### PREVAILING PRICES.

Trash	\$2.50 to \$4.00
Common Lugs	4.50 to 5.00
Medium	5.00 to 6.00
Good	6.00 to 7.00
Low Leaf	6.50 to 7.50
Common Leaf	7.50 to 9.00
Medium	9.00 to 11.50
Good	12.00 to 15.50

Inspector Abernathy's weekly report is given herewith for the week ending July 17, 1914:

Receipts for week	0 Hds.
Receipts for year	1314 Hds.
Sales for week	101 Hds.
Sales for year	993 Hds.

#### The Deadly Auto.

Philadelphia, Pa., July 16.—Three persons were killed and more than a score injured, some perhaps fatally, in a series of automobile accidents in this section.

## Auction Sale of Desirable, Improved City Property, Thursday, July 23rd, at 2 p. m.

I will sell the home property of the Rev. Chas. L. Nourse on East 7th St., adjoining the Dr. Cook place, consisting of 12 Lots and 5 Dwelling Houses. This is the most desirable property in the city, being high and close in.

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# REMARKABLE MEETING GIVES AN IMPETUS TO STANLEY'S CAMPAIGN

## Second District Congressman Addresses Vast Crowd of Supporters That Throngs National Theater

Louisville, Ky., July 6, 1914.—What was without a doubt one of the most remarkable political meetings ever held in Louisville was that last night when Congressman A. O. Stanley, of the Second District, candidate for the Democratic nomination for United States Senator, presented his claims to the voters of the Fifth district at the National Theater.

The meeting was remarkable in that it was a distinct innovation, being probably the first time in the history of Louisville that a candidate for a Democratic State-wide nomination addressed a mass meeting of voters here, and, secondly, it was remarkable for the crowd which packed the theater auditorium, boxes, stage and a large part of the galleries. The crowd, which was estimated at 2,500, was decidedly one of the most representative assemblages that ever faced a speaker in Louisville, and not fifty persons left the theater from the time Mr. Stanley began until he closed his speech, which required an hour and a half to deliver. Many women graced the boxes, and they showed the keenest interest in what the speaker had to say.

### Scathing Denunciation.

With keen shafts and rapier thrusts Mr. Stanley went after his opponent, Gov. J. C. W. Beckham and his aides, Percy Haly and Sam J. Shackelford, but he reached the climax in his denunciation of Richard W. Knott, editor of the Louisville Evening Post, as a political renegade and harlot, who exerted a contaminating influence politically, socially and morally, and "whose relentless hate I wear as a badge of honor." For scathing denunciation nothing like it was ever heard in Louisville and the vast crowd roared its approval as Stanley pilloried Beckham for alliance with Knott, whom he characterized as having condoned the assassination of Gov. William Goebel and had venomously assailed Democratic nominees. "This is the vile sheet," said he, "that has the insufferable impudence to dictate to the Democrats of Kentucky whom they shall choose as their Senator."

### Where Does He Stand?

Charging Beckham with cowardice on the "wet" and "dry" question and playing the Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde role on this issue as the exigencies of the situation demanded, Mr. Stanley demanded that Beckham come out in the open and declare to the people of Kentucky whether or not he favored nation-wide prohibition or State-wide prohibition, or both.

Mr. Stanley was greeted with a rousing ovation when he entered the theater and the demonstration lasted several minutes after he was introduced and before he was permitted to speak.

### Introduced By Judge Edwards.

The meeting was presided over by Judge James P. Edwards, who introduced Mr. Stanley. "This splendid audience shows the handwriting on the wall," was Judge Edwards' opening sentence. He congratulated the Democratic party on its splendid administration of national and State affairs, and its ability to do things under the matchless leadership of a Woodrow Wilson. He congratulated the Democrats of Kentucky on having such a candidate for United States Senator as Augustus Owsley Stanley, who stands for every principle advocated by President Wilson and the National Democratic platform. Judge Edwards referred to the era of "machine rule" that was the chief characteristic of the "Beckham regime," and he paid his respects to Beckham, whose chief mouthpiece now was the "traitorous Louisville Post."

### Full Text of Stanley's Speech.

Mr. Stanley's speech, which will well bear perusal, is in full as follows:

"You are assembled here on the eve of the exercise of a priceless privilege," began Mr. Stanley. "Vested with absolute and sovereign power, you sit in judgment upon the fitness of your public servants—a high tribunal, from whose decision there is no appeal. Learned judges, members of Congress, who aspire to posts of honor or distinction, must come to you, like a blind beggar with a cup.

"This is the only land, and you are the only people, where such a measure of liberty was ever enjoyed by the citizen.

"During 4,000 years and more of Christian and Pagan civilization men accepted, without protest, the monstrous political heresy that one man was born to be a king and another destined from his birth to be a vassal or a slave. That all power and all authority, liberty itself, is enjoyed by the grace of some royal grant came trick-

ling down from the fetid steps of a throne upon a suppliant people below. It remained to the greatest mere man that was born of woman to turn his back upon the fallacies of the dead past and his face toward the future, and, with the audacity of genius, to declare that all men were created free and equal, with an equal right to life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness. He took a mere man, because he was a man, just as God made him, without regard to his worth, his learning or his lineage, and made him the source of all power and all authority, clothed him with sacred and inalienable rights, armed him with a ballot and made him an uncrowned king, and before this towering creation of the mighty American the thrones of the world did tremble. I reverently thank God to-night that He who made us sovereigns all was the author of the Declaration of Independence, Thomas Jefferson.

"All that Jefferson and all that the wisdom and the courage of the fathers could do was to invest us with this supreme power. It remains for the people, and the people alone, to exercise it. Eternal vigilance is the price of liberty. No constitution, however perfect, no government, however flawless, can ever, or will ever, protect and preserve the liberties of a people who are not ceaselessly vigilant in the exercise of the power inherent in them.

### Freedom of Kentucky.

"We loudly proclaim this a Government of and for and by the people. Is it such a Government here in Kentucky at this hour? Do the people of Kentucky exercise the actual control of their own affairs?

"The mere right to elect your officials, if it stops there, is not sufficient to constitute you a free people, or this a free Government.

"The Roman Emperors were all elected. Tiberius, Caligula or Nero could not have been more monstrous had they inherited the purple to which they were elected.

"To be free a people must do something more than elect officials. Those officials must, when elected, act through and for the people, whose servants they are.

"For that reason the members of the Legislature and of Congress are called representatives. They should be in very deed the willing and responsive medium through whom a sovereign people exercise their inherent authority.

"Now, what have you to do with the writing of the law which governs you? That law you must obey; violate the State or Federal statutes and you lose your liberty, your property or your life. What have you to do with the writing of those rules of conduct that touch you so nearly and upon which your liberty, your life and your property depend?

"A Legislature has but recently adjourned in the city of Frankfort. Had any citizen here appeared in the galleries of that body and objected to the passage of any bill then pending, he would have been ordered out of the House. Had he interrupted when the Federal Congress was considering some measure, he would probably have landed in jail.

"If the citizen has no voice in the actual writing of the law, what part, after all, has he in this so-called free government? He can participate in its operation in one way only, that is by having him who proposes to write or to execute the law to take the people into his confidence, tell them in advance candidly and courageously his position upon all public questions, and let them know exactly what he proposes to do, if intrusted with the high honors and stern obligations of a legislator.

"If the electors approve of his policies, if they desire to have him do the things which he proposes, then they commission him as their agent, their attorney, in fact, their actual representative, to write the laws for them. There, as a Senator from Kentucky, he writes with the hand of 200,000 Democrats; he speaks with the voice of 3,000,000 people.

### Outside Interference.

"Here in Kentucky is the law written in obedience to your will, by men responsive to you alone. For weeks before the last Legislature assembled it was boldly proclaimed that private citizens, having no official relation to the Kentucky Legislature whatever, not members of that body, or intrusted with the law with the power to interfere with its deliberations—that a few private citizens would organize and control it, would suggest the men whom that body should elect as presiding officers, command it to the minutest detail, even to the selection of pages and cloakroom keepers; would sit in its secret caucuses and determine the policies of the party and the conduct of the lawmakers of a free people.

"The Governor of the State, upon whom the Constitution imposes the

duty of advising this body, clothed with the right to veto measures which in his opinion were inexpedient or unconstitutional, with whom it was expected to act in concert, for the success of the party and the good of the country, depends upon harmony between the executive and the legislative branches of the government, that Governor's will was openly flouted, and those very men who exercised this power did not hesitate to boast that private citizens who had organized and controlled the Legislature, had come between that body and the people whose will they are supposed to express and obey.

"Whenever it occurs that either a Legislature or a Congress can be organized and rendered subservient to the will of a coterie of cunning and designing lobbyists and politicians, the interests of the people who elected them and this free government is a mockery, a delusion and a sham. That is invisible government. No interest was or ever will be able to corrupt or control a free people. No privileged interest, no lobbyist or corruptionist will ever be fool enough to attempt it. "It is only by breaking this beneficial and necessary concord between the public and the public servant that the powers of government are ever perverted to the plunder of a free people and the vile use of avaricious and designing men.

### Sinister Control.

"This is the essence of that abominable thing known as invisible government. It was this sinister and sinister control of the people's representatives and the people's government that hurled an effete Republicanism from power and that will bury it in deserved oblivion. A great jurist and a great statesman met the expectancy and gave voice to the will of a liberty-loving people when he demanded a new freedom, a freedom from invisible government, a freedom from interference by private interests with this country's control of its own affairs. It was that reiterated demand for this new freedom that made a college president in a State normally 50,000 Republican its Democratic Governor by a majority of 20,000. It was that same courageous cry heard by forty-eight States that made him the nominee of the Democratic party for the presidency. It was upon that issue that the Democratic party elected Woodrow Wilson, of New Jersey. In the greatest speech of his life a few months before his nomination he declared: 'Now, what has been the matter? The matter has been that the Government of this country was privately controlled and that the business of this country was privately controlled; and that we did not have genuine representative Government, and that the people of this country did not have control of their own affairs.'"

"And as to business, after a few committees like the Stanley Committee have gone on a little further we will know a good many particulars."

"And again: 'I make the assertion that the Government was privately controlled. I mean to put it specifically, that the Government of this country was managed by politicians who gained the contributions which they secured by solicitation from particular groups of business interests, on the understanding, explicit or implied, that the first care of the Government was to be for those particular interests.'"

"What do we stand here for to-night, and what shall we stand for as long as we live? We stand for setting the Government of this country free and the business of this country free."

### Defense of Business.

"In the words of Woodrow Wilson, I stand for setting the business and the government of the Commonwealth of Kentucky free, free from the machinations and the control of a coterie of lobbyists and corruptionists who at this hour unblushingly attempt to take both by the throat."

"The supreme power of the State and the nation is lodged in its legislative Assembly. Who is it in Kentucky with power enough to step between the people and their duly-elected servants and to boast that they can organize and dominate law-making bodies even? Does any man believe that a private citizen, a modest lawyer, devoting the major portion of his time to the business of a couple of public service corporations, which, according to his own statement, paid him a little over a dollar a day apiece—has he this tremendous authority? This is a task never attempted before except by powerful interests operating through cunning and expert emissaries. Was it claimed that Mr. Beckham did this work? Nay, not so. He is but a stately mask, a painted shield, behind which Richard W. Knott, Percy Haly and Sam Shackelford ply their nefarious calling. It is through him that they hope to get their long and cadaverous fingers upon the throat of a prostrate Democracy and the purse of a helpless people. Politics makes strange bed-fellows."

"A little while ago when Mr. Beckham, then a candidate for the Senate against Gov. McCreary, denounced this man, Shackelford, as the plunderer of his own party, as a sand-bagger of corporations, he told you that you dare not entrust any man in the Senate who was actively supported by the known representative of the Standard Oil Co., the Tobacco Trust and the Southern Pacific railroad. These men were hardly out speaking terms at the close of that campaign."

"In the course of time it became my duty, as chairman of the committee which investigated the affairs of the United States Steel Corporation, to explore the methods of John D. Rockefeller in securing control of the most precious deposits in America. Three times in one day I was denounced by John D. Rockefeller, by his almoner, Frederick W. Gates, and by the corporation itself. I secured and produced the incriminating evidence which led first to a petition for the dissolution of the American Tobacco Company, and finally to the separation of that great combination into four more or less independent and competing concerns. As a result of the fearless discharge of my duties as a public servant Sam Shackelford is muzzled and collared and delivered, surly but obedient, to the hand that smote him, and to-day he is yoked with Percy Haly in the organization of legislative bod-

ies and the control of legislative patronage, and in the conduct of Mr. Beckham's campaign for a seat in the Federal Senate."

### Parts of the Party.

"Will the Democratic party in Kentucky permit Sam Shackelford and Percy Haly to name an ambassador from a free and sovereign State? Do the people of Kentucky wish to reach the ear or secure the favor of a Senator by paying obsequence to a Haly or a Shackelford? The Republican party owes its birth, its life and its death to special and privileged interests. Hails and Shackelfords were an essential part of its organization and its being. For that reason the Republican press of Kentucky has already nominated Mr. Beckham and accepted the lobbyist and trickster as the essential and necessary parts of the programme."

"Every wash day you read in the columns of the Lexington Leader that I am about to retire from this race, that I have mistrusted and deceived Gov. McCreary, that Ollis James has organized a Federal machine for the purpose of riding me into place and power. Why do the Lexington Leader, the Louisville Herald and the Evening Post seek Mr. Beckham's nomination and my defeat? Either because they feel assured that if nominated he will win and his associates the ugly attributes of Republicanism under the convenient mask of Democracy. Who to-day stands as political godfather, philosopher, guide and friend, self-constituted apologist and panegyrist for this political triumvirate? Richard W. Knott and the Evening Post. And when and where was Dick Knott ever received into Democratic fellowship or commissioned to outline the policies for the party of Jefferson and Jackson, of Bryan and Woodrow Wilson?"

"Were I to ask to-night who in all Kentucky has been the most inveterate, the most cruel, the most false and perfidious foe that Democracy ever had, the answer would come spontaneously from every Democratic heart—Dick Knott, of the Louisville Evening Post. No man can oppose any form of corporate or political iniquity without arousing the wrath of Richard W. Knott."

### Support and Abuse.

"He supported McKinley, Taft and Roosevelt. He fought Bryan and he fought Parker. He supported Bradley and Bill Taylor, Yerkes and Belknap and Augustus E. Willson. He fought Goebel and he fought Beckham when Beckham was at outs with Shackelford, the Tobacco Trust and the Standard Oil Company. He fought Hager. Why this man who canonized Calhoun Powers and wept on the shoulders of Bill Taylor when an outraged Democracy had made an outcast of that usurper, should suddenly find in Mr. Beckham all the beatitudes of his ancient Republican allies, is beyond my ken."

"I do not complain of his wanton and cruel assaults upon me. I do not believe that the Democracy of Kentucky will be moved by the coarse and vulgar abuse with which the filthy columns of this Republican sheet reek from day to day. They will remember that no Democrat in public life is so upright or pure or blameless as to escape the envenomed pen of this servile and corrupt enemy to decency and Democracy."

"When William Goebel made the reform of corporate abuses the keynote of his campaign Dick Knott, then an alleged Democrat, in obedience to the interests which he served then and is serving now, instantly became a vicious and ranting Republican, an assassin, a flannel-mouthed incendiary, a designing demagogue, and when tradition, slander, misrepresentation and falsehood all combined did not avail to shake the faith of the people in their valiant champion, this same Louisville Post became the intelligence and the herald by which armed assassins were notified that their presence was needed in the peaceful capital of the Commonwealth."

"Dick Knott's paper was the bugle call that rang through hill and dale and assembled those turbulent spirits who were shortly to make the seat of government a scene of chaos and disorder and at last of murder, and when they were encamped around and about the capital of the State and courts and General Assembly were menaced by their sinister presence, who defended the assembling of this so-called peaceable army? Richard W. Knott and the Louisville Evening Post."

"When the General Assembly were driven in terror through the capital, chased with naked bayonets through the streets of Frankfort, who condoned the monstrous outrage? Richard W. Knott and the Louisville Evening Post."

"When for the first time in the history of civilized government ruffians invaded the sacred temples of justice and reverend judges, the ermine upon their shoulders, were forced to flee for their lives and leave precious records of the Commonwealth for sack and pillage by ruthless and brutal savages, who danced with fiendish glee while the damnable work was done? Richard W. Knott and the Louisville Evening Post."

### Greedy and Voracious.

"When neither insult to the Legislature nor outrage to the courts did deter the dauntless man who went serenely on his way, without fear or reproach, who was it that revealed in every form of cruel, false and malicious slander, who fired the black and pitiless heart of murder, until the dastardly deed was done, and with a steel bullet crashing through his vitals William Goebel fell bleeding in front of the State House? Richard W. Knott and the Louisville Evening Post. As he lay there like the murdered Duncan, his silver body laced with his golden blood and all his virtues crying out like angels' trumpet tones against the deep damnation of his taking off, what ghoul, what human hyena mangled that piece of bleeding earth and then blackened the memory of our mighty dead? Richard W. Knott and the Louisville Evening Post."

"Yet Mr. Beckham has deliberately selected and commissioned this creature as the head and front of a greedy

and voracious triumvirate who hope shortly to prey upon a deluded party and a prostrate people."

"When Mr. Beckham expresses an opinion upon any public question or announces his candidacy for office, it must emanate first from the 'Evening Post.' In this fight his colors fly from a fortress reeking with corruption and dripping with the blood of a murdered Governor."

"I had a right to expect that this battle would be fought upon a Democratic field; that my opponent would meet me upon Democratic ground. I challenge his right to fire his guns from that black and forbidding fortress, or to stab a fellow-Democrat with a knife sharpened upon the flint heart of Richard W. Knott and dripping with the gore of butchered Democrats. It would be had enough did this ugly emissary of all that is evil in Republicanism confine himself to the truth. His paper reeks with every form of transparent and deliberate falsehood. Its news columns are as false and as fabricated as its editorials. Reports purporting to come from one section are deliberately concocted in another."

"You are told that Mr. Beckham is met by vast and cheering throngs. Long before his arrival at the place of speaking, hours before he ever opens his mouth, you are told exactly what he said. The first edition of the Louisville Evening Post goes to press at 11:30. The other day Mr. Beckham spoke at West Liberty at 1:30, and yet two hours prior to that meeting the paper stated the building was packed to the doors and that a large crowd congregated on the outside."

"At Lebanon a gentleman closely identified with his campaign telephoned to this same Evening Post a detailed description of the number of persons who sat in rapt and motionless silence, and burst into thunderous applause, before the Court House doors were ever opened or a single man in attendance."

### No Self-Solicitude.

"I do not complain that the columns of this sheet reek with every form of denunciation of me. I do not complain that I am subjected by it to every form of traduction and abuse as an official and as a man. I am pained as a son, a demagogue and a faker, the super-seivable tool of the liquor interests. I seek neither commendation nor the support of the pandering to corruption and an apologist for murder. I wear his relentless hate as a badge of honor. This facetious viper, whose venomous tooth, but lately rankled in the lion heart of William Goebel is coiled, now ready to strike at any breast bared in the defense of popular government and the people's rights."

"How this Republican sheet must edify the amazed Democracy of Kentucky with the information that while I am a bold, bad man, Mr. Beckham is a sweet and neat, with pretty little feet, and that he has never been kissed in his life, and that he is merely as sane and safe as Knott's once beau ideal, William Howard Taft, that he is as coy and modest and retiring as that gentle and dove-like statesman, Theodore Roosevelt, and that he is nearly as careful of human life as Powers or Howard or Youtsey."

"Were I the only Democrat who had deserved by honest and faithful service the implacable hostility of Mr. Knott, were I the only Democrat who had fallen the victim of his deliberate perversion of the truth, there might be found somewhere a member of my own party who might come under the influence of his wiles."

"I am the last, not the first, to be honored by his opposition."

"The Fifth district has been represented for six successive terms by a man of superb ability; a clear-headed, clean and capable public servant. He has earned and he has received the continued commendation and support of a splendid constituency. I hope soon to see him the chairman of the great Committee on Appropriations. It is a fitting reward for faithful service and will redound to the honor and the material good of a great city and a great Commonwealth. Yet Richard W. Knott did not hesitate to blast and to blacken his name, and to distort the motives and belittle the services of your chosen Representative, Mr. Sherley."

### Attack on Stanley.

"On September 2, 1908, he declared that 'Back of him (Sherley) the machine forces have been massed once more. Back of the machine forces are the saloon forces. Mr. Sherley's votes in Congress were applauded by the wholesale liquor dealers, by the whisky men in politics, and they brought to line with him the local liquor interests, the saloons and the Beer Trust. He counts upon this aggregation to carry this Fifth district for Mr. Swager Sherley, the nominee of the machine, the defender of the machine, the representative in Washington of the liquor elements.'"

"On September 30, 1908, he declared that Frank Fehr might as well be running for Congress as the Democratic nominee, Mr. Sherley."

"On September 14, 1908, 'The Evening Post' urged every friend of temperance, every friend of law and order, every man opposed to the complete subjection of the Democratic party to the liquor interests to vote for Mr. Kinkaid."

"A few years ago the shattered and disheartened remnant of a Democratic organization was rallied by the courage, patriotism and the statesmanship of that indomitable little giant, Tom Marshall. The Democracy of the Union watched with intense and breathless interest the great fight he waged against Republicanism, entrenched in power for years and blatant in its insolent defiance. This hatred of corporate oppression, his insistent demand for reform, his clean life and his transparent honesty, maddened the malevolent soul of Richard W. Knott. Not content with defaming his own representative, he opened his mud batteries on the Democracy of three States at once. In an editorial of September 5, 1908, entitled 'Check Saloon Influences,' he said: 'Let the Democrats, therefore, vote for Watson in Indiana, Harris in Ohio, and K. C. Kinkaid in the Fifth Louisville district, and against Mr. Swager Sherley.' In an editorial of October 9 he denounced the gallant Carmack, who came to the aid of Marshall and the Democratic

ticket in Indiana, declaring that he was operating 'under the auspices of that good and great man, Tom Taggart. As he is to speak for the Brewery Trust in Indianapolis, we suppose Mr. Carmack has recanted.'

"He denounced John W. Kern, once a Democratic nominee for Vice President, and now a sitting Senator from the State of Indiana, as the subservient tool of the liquor trust, as a blunderer and a demagogue."

### Calumny For Bryan.

"Bryan himself does not escape calumny at the hands of the head of this Knott-Haly-Shackelford triumvirate."

"On September 25, 1908, Mr. Bryan was cartooned on the first page of this abominable Post, carrying a banner reading 'No Prohibitionist Can Be a Democrat.' His belt was made of whisky bottles, labeled 'Booze,' the buckle was a beer mallet, and his breast was incised in a beer keg. On September 11, 1908, it declared that 'In Indiana it is now admitted that a vote for Bryan and the other Democratic nominees is a vote for the liquor interests, and a vote against reasonable regulation of the liquor traffic.'

"Mr. Beckham himself found no favor in the eyes of Richard W. Knott as long as he persisted in denouncing Mr. Shackelford, the Standard Oil Company and the Tobacco Trust. It was only after he found Sam and Percy and Cripps cuddled up together as peaceful and cozy as pups in a basket that he lifted his unclean hands in political benediction."

"This arch-enemy of Democracy, this traducer of Carmack and Kern, Harmon and Marshall, Goebel and Bryan is not only the panegyrist, but the dictator in this unique campaign. More than a year ago the Democratic editors of Kentucky, in convention assembled, outlined their policy toward the Democratic candidates in a resolution adopted without a dissenting voice. Realizing the necessity of choosing the best and the strongest standard bearer for the ensuing contest with the common enemy, and that it was no sham battle that awaited us—in the last presidential election Wilson's vote exceeding that of his two Republican opponents by a little over a thousand—and that in all probability the Republican party, determined and reunited, would contest every foot of the ground with the chosen champion of Democracy, they agreed to urge Democrats everywhere to select their candidates for the Senate with an eye single to his probity, his experience and his capacity."

"In a recent editorial the Louisville Times, looking beyond the first Saturday in August to the idea of November, opened its columns to all the candidates in order that the people might the better judge in the selection of their champion for the final contest. Mr. Knott immediately took issue with the Democratic editors of the State. He assumed to speak not only for himself, but for the Beckham-Haly-Shackelford regime."

### What the Woodcock Said.

"He declared that the Democratic party was indebted to Mr. Beckham; that it was in honor bound to support him; that it had no right to consider the qualifications for public service or the strength in his party of any other aspirant. He said: 'The one great duty that devolves upon Democracy this year is to punish the atrocious crime of botching,' and said that since several Democrats had bolted Mr. Beckham, every other Democrat should support him, fit or unfit, strong or weak. This man who for twenty years has bolted every Democratic nominee, State or National, now assumes to act as supreme arbiter and censor of the conduct of every other Democrat. Just think of Dick Knott denouncing bolters. 'Great God,' said the woodcock, and away he flew."

"And how has the party and the country become indebted to Mr. Beckham? We know something of our duty to our country! We are taught in peace to live, and in war, if need be, to die for that country; but who ever heard of the country's obligation to any man? Who—except Dick Knott and the Louisville Evening Post? What has Beckham done for the party, or what has the party ever done to Beckham, to create this anomalous condition? What great service in peace, what great deed of valor in war, has placed the Democratic party under a deathless debt to Mr. Beckham? Why, we are told that the party some years ago managed to induce Mr. Beckham to kindly consent to take a nomination for the Senate, and, having been good enough to accept it once, it would be an act of base ingratitude not to offer it to him again."

"Kentucky once honored the greatest orator of ancient or modern times, a constructive statesman who was a paragon even among such mighty peers as Calhoun and Crittenden, Randolph and Webster, and yet they have inscribed upon the marble tomb of the Great Harry of the West his expression of gratitude for the honor conferred upon him by the proud people of Kentucky."

"The Democratic party placed the toga of Clay upon the shoulders of John C. Breckinridge. He was Adonis in love, Mars in war, Solon in council. 'Hyperion's curls, the front of Jove himself; An eye like Mars to threaten or command; A station like the herald Mercury; New light on a heaven-kissing hill; A combination and a form indeed, Where every god did set his seal To give the world assurance of a man.'"

### Gratitude of Breckinridge.

"And yet the great John C. Breckinridge lived and died bowing in humble gratitude to his countrymen for the great honor conferred by their partial favor. Carlisle and Lindsay, Beck and Blackburn, each expressed a sense of infinite obligation to a trusting people for that great and coveted distinction—a Commonwealth's ambassador to the most august tribunal on the reeling earth."

"When did the Imperial Democracy of Kentucky, its knee in supplication bent, humbly implore this mighty and towering giant, the great, unique and only John Crepps Wickliffe Beckham, to borrow a pair of togs or pincers and to bend in bland and supercilious condescension and pick up the toga







## MEN IN MIND IN HOPKINSVILLE

People of Prominence In The Pearl City of The Penny-royal.

BIOGRAPHICAL SKETCH NO. 36.

A Merchant Who Has For a Quarter of A Century Helped Make Hopkinsville.

J. Thomas Wall, senior member of the firm of Wall & McGowan, is, in point of service, one of the oldest merchants in Hopkinsville. He was born in Trigg county, in 1854, on a farm. When he reached manhood, he went to Cadiz and worked in a store for awhile and then became deputy County Court Clerk for three years. After further experience in mercantile pursuits, having saved some money, he began to look about for an opening in a larger city and, like many Cadiz business men, natu-



J. THOMAS WALL.

ally turned to Hopkinsville as the metropolis of a large section embracing Trigg county in its trading territory. By coming to Hopkinsville he could retain much of his Trigg county patronage, while building up a permanent trade in the city of his adoption.

In 1888 he made his advent into Hopkinsville's business circles, by be-

coming a partner in the newly formed firm of Pye, Dicken & Wall, clothiers. In time this firm became the Mammoth Clothing and Shoe Co., with Mr. Wall the guiding spirit. After four years, the company moved from the east side of Main street to the present stand on the south west corner of Main and Seventh streets. About this time Mr. Wall formed a new firm and J. T. Wall & Co. became leaders in their line for a period of 20 years. Two years ago Jas. D. McGowan was admitted to the firm, and the name changed to Wall & McGowan, and increased prosperity has come its way.

Not only in business circles has Mr. Wall been a factor, but he has been called upon to fill important official positions. In 1898 he was elected a member of the city council, and made an efficient and clear-headed public officer. Ten years ago he was chosen a member of the Hopkinsville Public School Board, and has discharged the duties of this position with such fidelity that he has been elected for the fourth term of three years.

Mr. Wall is at all times a wide-awake man of affairs, enterprising, alert and far-seeing. He is identified with several fraternal orders, but is especially active as a Mason. Mrs. Wall is also quite prominent in the work of the Order of Eastern Star. Of their three children, two live New York, Dr. Joe Wall and Mrs. G. W. Wharton. The last named, as Miss Rowena Wall, was one the most accomplished vocalists Hopkinsville has ever produced. Her singing attracted attention far and wide until her marriage a few years ago. A younger daughter is at the parental home on South Virginia street.

### Lost a Leg.

Mr. P. E. Downer, a venerable citizen of the Fairview vicinity, had one of his legs amputated Sunday on account of gangrene. Mr. Downer is 70 years old and is the father of Mrs. J. E. Mosely, of this city.

### Costly English Port.

More than \$100,000,000 has been spent in bringing and keeping the port of Liverpool up to date.

## GROCERY DAMAGED

By Fire Probably Due To Electric Current.

Thursday night about 2 o'clock H. M. Bollinger's grocery store, situated on the corner of Second and Railroad streets, caught on fire and burned for some time before the fire could be checked. The blaze was started from the lightning, which is thought to have struck the wires which run past the store and passed from them into the building.

The fire was seen by Harvey McCord, who tried to notify the fire department at once but did not succeed in getting them for twenty or thirty minutes. The flames were arrested soon after the department arrived.

Both the stock and the building were partially insured and \$300 will about cover the loss.

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Ninth and Main or

Insurance written on wheat stored

on farm.

### Rex Party.

Mrs. T. W. Long was the hostess of a Rex party Thursday afternoon in honor of her guest, Mrs. Wharton Crabbe, of Houston, Tex.; after the show the party was taken to an ice cream parlor for refreshments.

### Moonlight Pic-Nic.

Some of the young men of the town gave a moonlight picnic and hay ride last night. They rode out to Fleming's cave where a delightful lunch was served. The party was chaperoned by Mrs. P. E. West and Mrs. Ulster.



Office 395  
Residence 644

## FRANCHISE ENDORSED

By Rising Vote and The Council Asked To Order Its Sale.

The franchise prepared by City Attorney Southall from the Paducah street railway franchise and submitted by Mr. R. E. Cooper to the New York parties asking for a franchise, was returned Thursday and with some minor changes will be acceptable to them.

A called meeting of the H. B. M. A. was held Thursday night and the matter was thoroughly gone over by about 30 business men present and after being discussed, the franchise was recommended by a rising vote to the Council and a motion adopted asking that it be offered for sale within 30 days. The Council was to meet last night and the H. B. M. A. voted to attend the meeting in a body to urge its passage. L. H. Davis, Geo. E. Gary and A. H. Eckles were named as spokesmen.

### Dissolution Notice.

The Walker-Overby Grocery Co., a firm doing business on the corner of Fifth and Virginia streets, in Hopkinsville, Ky., is this day dissolved by mutual consent, J. W. Overby retiring. J. T. Walker assumes all indebtedness and will collect all accounts owing said firm and continue the business at the same stand.

J. T. WALKER,  
J. W. OVERBY.

All persons owing the Walker-Overby Grocery Co., are requested to call promptly and settle with me,  
J. T. WALKER.

July 17, 1914.  
Advertisement.

### Economic Epigram.

A sentimental declaration, even if it runs counter to sound economics and the best interests of society, will have more adherents than a profound truth in political economy, the adoption of which demands an immediate sacrifice.

## TRUSTEES ELECTION

Where The Voting Will Be Done In The Various Districts.

AUGUST 1ST THE DAY.

Annual Elections To Be Held All Over The County.

The first Saturday in August is the day fixed by law for the election of school trustees over the county. Trustees are to be elected at the following places:

### EDUCATIONAL DIV. NO. 1.

Sub-District—

- No. 1. Cone School.
- " 2. McKnight School.
- " 3. Lantrip School.
- " 7. Macedonia School.
- " 8. Wood's Chapel School.
- " 9. Mt. Carmel School.
- " 11. Consolation School.

### EDUCATIONAL DIV. NO. 2.

Sub-District—

- No. 1. Parker School.
- " 2. Orange Grove School.
- " 5. Number 5 School.
- " 11. West School.
- " 15. Number 15 School.

### EDUCATIONAL DIV. NO. 3.

Sub-District—

- No. 2. Bluff Springs School.
- " 6. Iron Hill School.
- " 8. Ralston School.
- " 9. Carroll School.
- " 11. Laytonville School.
- " 13. Shiloh School.
- " 14. Walker School.
- " 16. Cannon School.

### EDUCATIONAL DIV. No. 4.

Sub-District—

- No. 1. Kelly School.
- " 4. Hardy School.
- " 5. Mitchell School.
- " 7. Johnson School.
- " 8. Sinking Fork School.

- " 9. Brick Church School.
- " 10. Oak Grove School.
- " 11. Major School.

### EDUCATIONAL DIV. NO. 5.

Sub-District—

- No. 2. Church Hill School.
- " 3. Sunny Slope School.
- " 4. Pennettstown School.

### EDUCATIONAL DIV. NO. 6.

Sub-District—

- No. 2. Beverly School.
- " 3. Herndon School.
- " 5. Bell Station School.

### EDUCATIONAL DIV. No. 7.

Sub-District—

- No. 2. Elmo School.
- " 4. Oak Grove School.

### EDUCATIONAL DIV. NO. 8.

Sub-District—

- No. 1. Morris or Highland Chapel School.
- " 2. Van Cleve School.
- " 3. Edward's Mill School.

## RUTLAND IS RELEASED

Jesse Underwood Failed To Appear and His Bond Was Forfeited.

Jesse Underwood, of Empire, failed to appear yesterday to answer to the charge of shooting and wounding A. V. Rutland, and Judge Knight forfeited his bond of \$500 and held him to the grand jury. A. V. Rutland, it transpired, was hit on the hip and slightly wounded when Underwood fired a shotgun at him. Both Rutland and Eugene Watson were released from bonds and the charge against them dismissed. They were arrested on Underwood's warrant and he did not appear to prosecute.

Miss Ruth Jarrett is visiting Miss Mary Thomas in Trigg county.

Miss Emma Leigh Cowherd, of Gracely, was in town yesterday.

Henry D. Wallace, Jr., who had been spending his vacation with his parents, left yesterday for his home at Houston, Texas.

# HOOSEY'S GREAT CLEARANCE SALE

## RECORDS AN UNPRECEDENTED SUCCESS

The Response to Our Big Page Announcement Does Credit to You Men of Hopkinsville, it Proves Conclusively Your Judgment and Discrimination. Your Business Acumen. TO-DAY We Offer Additional Incentives for You to Visit this Wide-Awake Institution. READ DETAILS CAREFULLY.

<b>\$1.50</b> <b>FOR STRAW HATS</b> <b>WORTH UP TO \$3.00</b> Nifty, new shapes and conservative styles for men of all ages—values regularly from \$2.50 to \$3.00 July sale price \$1.50.	<b>33c</b> <b>MEN'S PURE SILK HOSIERY</b> Pure silk half hose for Men, may be had in black, white or colors, all sizes included. Real 50c values sale price per pair, 33c.	<b>75c</b> <b>FOR MEN'S B. V. D. UNION SUITS</b> Men's B. V. D. Athletic Union Suits made of checked Nainsook in all wanted sizes Regularly \$1.00 sale price 75c.	<b>\$2.47</b> <b>FOR \$3.50 AND \$4.00 SILK SHIRTS</b> Men—buy these for next season if you've more than your present needs demand. Actually \$3.50 and \$4.00 Silk Shirts, \$2.47.	<b>\$1.15</b> <b>FOR MEN'S \$2.00 CLOUETT SHIRTS</b> Cluett Shirts in this seasons best patterns, made with stiff or French cuffs. All sizes, regularly \$2.00, sale price, \$1.15.	<b>17c</b> <b>FOR BOYS 25c STOCKINGS</b> Buster Brown and Wildboy stockings fast black, all sizes. Regular 25c values. Great July Sale price per pair, 17c.
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## Great July Sale Men's Furnishings

Men's 5c Handkerchiefs, Now.....3c  
 Men's 15c Handkerchiefs, Now.....8c  
 Men's 25c Handkerchiefs, Now.....17c  
 Men's 50c Handkerchiefs, Now.....37c

### MEN'S CARTERS.

Men's 50c Garters, Now .....38c  
 Men's 25c Garters, Now .....19c

### MEN'S TIES.

Wide variety Four-in-Hand Ties, Batwings, Windsor ties, etc. Worth up to \$2.00, Sale Price .....79c  
 Men's 50c Neckwear, choice, Now.....39c  
 Men's 35c Neckwear, choice, Now.....23c  
 Men's 25c Neckwear, choice, Now.....15c

### EXTRA SPECIAL

Lot of Men's Silk and Wash Ties in all colors and shapes worth up to 50c, Price.....10c

## Tailored to Your Measure Clothes Now Reduced to the Lowest Possible Figures Consistent with The Hooser High Stand of Excellence.

Our aim in making the sharp Price reductions, now prevailing, in our Tailoring department is to keep the boys busy and properly "turned up" for an anticipated fall rush. If you have any doubts as to the extra values we are offering, drop in here to-day, and let us show you the suits we are making at

**\$27.50 \$32.50 AND \$35.00**

Nothing slighted, they are as carefully constructed as though you were paying the customary \$35.00, \$40.00 \$45.00 prices

**J. K. Hooser**  
**"OUTFITTER TO MEN"**

## Great July Sale Underwear and Hosiery

Wilson Bros. B. V. D. and the celebrated "Rocking Chair" brand Men's Union Suits in athletic and 1-4 sleeve styles, now emphatically reduced for immediate disposal.

\$5.00 all Silk Union Suits .....\$3.75  
 \$3.00 Silk and Linen Union Suits .....\$2.10  
 \$2.00 Mercerized Union Suits .....\$1.50  
 \$1.50 Nainsook Union Suits .....\$1.10  
 \$1.00 Croesbar Muslin Union Suits .....75c  
 Men's Balbriggan Shirts and Drawers, worth regularly 50c .....39c  
 Men's \$1.00 French Balbriggan Shirts and Drawers.....69c  
 Men's 25c Shirts and Drawers.....19c

### MEN'S HOSIERY

Men's Silk and Lisle Half Hose in all colors and black, worth 50c pair, Sale price 37c  
 25c Silk and Lisle Half Hose, reduced to.....18c  
 Men's 15c Cotton and Lisle Hosiery, now only 11c  
 Men's 12 1-2c Cotton Hosiery .....7c  
 Men's 10c Cotton Hosiery.....6c